

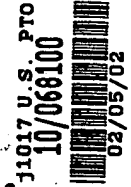
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the ☒ Utility ☐ Design ☒ nonprovisional ☐ provisional patent application of:

Inventor / Application Identifier: **Seiji TADA**

☐ See Inventor Information Sheet attached

For: **BALL BEARING**

- ☒ This is a new patent application.  
☐ This is the 35 U.S.C. 371 National Stage Application of the above-identified PCT Application.  
☐ This is a provisional patent application.  
☐ This is a: ☐ Continuation Application  
☐ Divisional Application  
☐ Continuation-in-Part Application  
of prior Application Serial No. .  
☐ Cancel in this application original claims \_\_\_ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.  
☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  
-- This is a ☐ Continuation, ☐ Divisional, ☐ Continuation-in-part, of Application  
☐ Incorporation By Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

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X	7	Sheets of drawings ( <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> formal <input type="checkbox"/> informal size A4 ).
X	23	Pages of specification including abstract and claims.
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	X	Newly executed
		Copy from prior application
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	Sequence Listing	
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X	Return Receipt Postcard	
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X	Assignment to: Koyo Seiko Co., Ltd.	
		Assignment is of record in prior application Serial No. _
	X	Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet.
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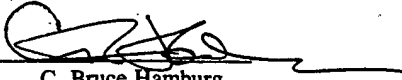
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<b>PRIORITY CLAIMS</b>	
	Applicant hereby claims the benefit of the filing date of the following provisional application(s) under the provision of 35 USC 119.
X	Applicant hereby claims the benefit under the provisions of 35 USC 119 of the filing dates of the following applications as indicated below:  Japan Patent Appln. No. P2001-34170, filed February 9, 2001, Priority Claimed  of which certified copies thereof
	will follow
X	are enclosed
	have been filed in the International Bureau
	were filed in prior application:

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Total Claims	12	20	0	\$18	\$0
Independent Claims	6	3	3	\$84	\$252
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee	—			\$280	\$0
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